FISCAL NOTE

SB 1545 - HB 2151

March 8, 2007

SUMMARY OF BILL: Deletes the requirement that the Division of Claims Administration (DCA) provide copies, with supporting documents, to the appropriate district attorney's office and to the offender of new Criminal Injuries Compensation Act (CIC) claims. Removes the requirement for CIC compensation for Tennessee residents injured due to acts of terrorism abroad.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Decrease State Expenditures - Not Significant

Assumptions:

- The Federal government currently provides compensation for United States residents who are injured due to acts of terrorism abroad through the International Terrorism Victim Expense Reimbursement Program.
- DCA is currently required to provide copies to the DA and to known offenders. Any savings realized as a result of deleting this requirement for the decrease costs for copying and mailing such documentation is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director